

# DOCKET SECTION

BEFORE THE  
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

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NOTICE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF FILING  
OF REVISED WORKPAPERS WP 5, 9, 13, 15, AND 17  
FOR WITNESS NEEDHAM (USPS-T-39),  
AND OF REVISED DISKETTE OF WORKPAPERS  
IN LIBRARY REFERENCE H-206  
(November 20, 1997)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides notice that it is today filing revised workpapers WP 5 (COD), 9 (parcel airlift), 13 (special handling), 15 (stamped envelopes), and 17 (cost coverages) for witness Needham (USPS-T-39), attached to her responses to Presiding Officer's Information Request No. 5, Questions 3, 4, 5, and 7. The changes in workpapers WP 5, 9, 13, and 15 are listed in the attached pages, and the changes in the cost coverage workpaper, WP 17, are in bold in the revised workpaper. The corrections do not affect any of the proposed fees, but do increase the proposed COD cost coverage from 106 percent to 112 percent, and reduce the proposed stamped envelope cost coverage from 130 percent to 118 percent.

## ERRATA TO USPS-T-39 WORKPAPERS

### **WP-5 - Collect-on-Delivery**

Column 1 - change "3,858" to "2,228"  
change "1,907" to "1,536"  
change "791" to "793"  
change "128" to "184"  
change "53" to "57"  
change "31" to "26"  
change "16" to "38"  
change "17" to "6"  
change "0.1" to "7.6"  
change "17" to "14"  
change "6,802" to "4,866"  
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Column 2 - change "2,233" to "1,802"  
change "1,103" to "1,242"  
change "458" to "641"  
change "74" to "148"  
change "30" to "46"  
change "18" to "21"  
change "9" to "30"  
change "10" to "5"  
change "0.0" to "6.2"  
change "10" to "11"

Column 3 - change "2,204" to "1,779"  
change "1,089" to "1,226"  
change "452" to "633"  
change "73" to "147"  
change "30" to "45"  
change "18" to "21"  
change "9" to "30"  
change "10" to "5"  
change "0.0" to "6.1"  
change "10" to "11"

## **WP-5 - Collect-on-Delivery (Continued)**

Column 6 - change "7,814" to "6,308"  
change "4,966" to "5,590"  
change "2,519" to "3,527"  
change "483" to "965"  
change "228" to "343"  
change "154" to "178"  
change "90" to "288"  
change "34" to "17"  
change "0" to "17"  
change "35" to "34"  
change "16,287" to "17,233"  
change "16,287" to "17,233"

Column 7 - change "8,817" to "7,118"  
change "5,447" to "6,132"  
change "2,713" to "3,799"  
change "513" to "1,026"  
change "240" to "362"  
change "161" to "186"  
change "93" to "300"  
change "39" to "19"  
change "0" to "18"  
change "39" to "37"  
change "18,024" to "18,959"  
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## **WP-9 - Parcel Airlift Mail**

Column 5 - change "31,109" to "31,994"  
change "5,540" to "5,698"  
change "10,971" to "11,283"  
change "23,635" to "24,308"  
change "71,256" to "73,283"

## **WP-13 - Special Handling**

Column 2 - change "12,013" to "12,031"  
change "881" to "883"  
change "12,894" to "12,913"  
change "3,306" to "3,313"  
change "996" to "997"  
change "4,302" to "4,310"  
change "74,598" to "74,625"

### **WP-13 - Special Handling (Continued)**

Column 3 - change "12,010" to "12,028"  
change "881" to "882"  
change "12,891" to "12,910"  
change "3,140" to "3,146"  
change "946" to "947"  
change "4,086" to "4,094"  
change "68,899" to "68,926"

Column 6 - change "64,870" to "64,965"  
change "6,609" to "6,619"  
change "71,479" to "71,584"  
change "17,854" to "17,888"  
change "7,467" to "7,481"  
change "25,321" to "25,369"  
change "441,631" to "441,784"

Column 7 - change "207,171" to "207,475"  
change "21,145" to "21,176"  
change "228,316" to "228,651"  
change "54,173" to "54,276"  
change "22,695" to "22,738"  
change "76,868" to "77,015"  
change "1,309,676" to "1,310,158"

### **WP-15 - Stamped Envelopes**

Column 1 - change "11,889,500" to "12,363,357"  
change "191,217,499" to "191,691,355"  
change to "467,230,910" to "467,704,767"

Column 2 - change "11,693,637" to "12,159,688"  
change "188,067,464" to "188,533,515"  
change "459,533,949" to "460,000,000"

Column 3 - change "25,605,102" to "26,033,975"  
change "271,037,613" to "271,466,485"  
change "11,693,637" to "12,159,688"  
change "188,067,464" to "188,533,515"  
change "459,105,076" to "460,000,000"

**WP-15 - Stamped Envelopes (Continued)**

Column 4 - change "51,210" to "52,068"  
change "62,713" to "6,271"  
change "87,699" to "8,770"  
change "18,123" to "18,845"

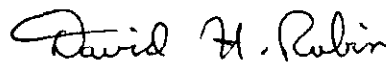
Column 5 - change "2,632,238" to "2,737,146"

Column 10 - change "451,236" to "51,425"  
change "1,140,083" to "114,008"  
change "217,474" to "390,370"  
change "6,835,564" to "5,582,574"  
change "16,002,706" to "14,749,716"

Column 11- change "716,943" to "728,951"  
change "8,321,347" to "8,333,356"  
change "595,778" to "59,578"  
change "1,052,384" to "105,238"  
change "491,482" to "511,070"  
change "7,687,114" to "6,223,356"  
change "16,008,461" to "14,556,712"

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

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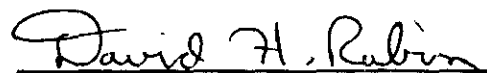
The Postal Service is also today filing a revised diskette of witness Needham's workpapers (and testimony) in library reference H-206, to reflect these changes.

Respectfully submitted,

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